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Applicants : Orest W. Blaschuk et al.  
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FUNCTIONS OF NONCLASSICAL CADHERINS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 25, 2006, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on May 25, 2006. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 25, 2006, applicants hereby elect Group 3, claims 1-2, 5-15, and 18, drawn to a cell adhesion modulating agent which comprises SEQ ID NO:2 or conservative analogue thereof, wherein the peptide is present in a cyclic peptide, for examination at this time.

Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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